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THE NANOWIRE

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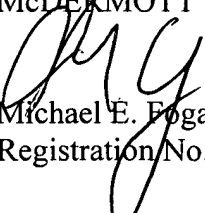
Sir:

The above referenced application was filed on April 10, 2006, as evidenced by the return receipt postcard. Since more than six months have elapsed since that date, and no response has been received by attorney for applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application. To date, the undersigned has not received an Official Filing Receipt regarding this application.

It is respectfully requested that the undersigned be furnished with an Official Filing Receipt as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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